

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Michael A. Walker et al.

Serial No.:

09/901,917

Filed:

July 9, 2001

For:

METHOD OF MAKING A SELF-ALIGNED

RECESSED CONTAINER CELL CAPACITOR

Examiner:

Toniae M. Thomas

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period that was set for responding to the Office Action dated October 23, 2002 be extended for one month until February 23, 2003.

Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 for \$110.00 is enclosed herewith for payment of the fee associated with this Petition, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore and charge any additional fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.

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Dated this 14 day of February 2003.

Respectfully submitted,

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